

Commonwealth of Massachusetts  
Department of Telecommunications and Energy  
Fitchburg Gas and Electric Light Company  
Docket No. D.T.E. 02-24/25  
Record Request Response

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**Record Request No.: DTE-RR-1**

Explain the reason for the apparent discrepancy between the ASL estimates for Gas General Plant shown on Schedule JHA-1 page 8 of 56 and page 33 of 56.

**Response:**

There was an error in the equation used to develop the composite of the "Existing" ASL values. When the equation was corrected the value developed was 27.3 years, the same as reported under the "Proposed" column on Schedule JHA-1 (Gas) page 8 of 56. The Existing ASL Value for Gas General Plant should be changed from 23.6 to 27.3 on Schedule JHA-1 (Gas) page 8 of 56.

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